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A rescue team takes Shon Hopkin of Orem to a medical helicopter after he fell while climbing.

Orem man is injured in fall

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An 18-year-old Orem male sustained several cuts, including a large gash on his forehead, after falling down a mountain while rock climbing Tuesday near Provo Canyon's South Fork.

Shon Hopkin, 18, 381 E. 230 South, was taken by medical helicopter to Utah Valley Regional Medical Center after the Utah County Search and Rescue team lowered him from the mountain at 12:30 p.m.

A hospital spokesperson said Hopkin was treated and released.

Hopkin, along with Morgan Ashton, 18, 600 S. Palisade Drive, Orem; Travis Bitters, 18, 471 E. 350 South, Orem; and Jon Meyers,

18, 1000 E. Riverhaven Circle, Orem, began climbing a rocky cliff at 9 a.m.

Bonnie Smith, who was walking in the area, said she heard some rocks fall and heard one of the men ask another if he were all right. When there was no response she decided to call 911.

Provo paramedics and the search and rescue team arrived at 10 a.m. and were led by Ashton to the scene where Hopkin was conscious but disoriented. Hopkin had fallen about 7 feet and had tumbled another 100 feet down the mountain before stopping.

Ashton, who also heard the rock and Hopkin break loose, said even with a good grip the rock was still loose. Ashton said he and Bitters

were experienced rock climbers.

Deputies had difficulty reaching the scene due to the large amount of loose shale rock below the rock cliff which had already fallen.

As a result, a medical helicopter arrived to see if it could reach Hopkin from above. However, due to the rocky terrain, it proved to be unfeasible.

"We wish we could have helped but we couldn't get to him in a hover," said Sally Brush, a registered nurse with Life-flight. "We can usually get in there and snatch them up."

Instead, the helicopter was used to take supplies and two rescuers to a location above Hopkin in order to bring him down, which took about an hour.

Obituaries

Willis Larsen

Willis Evan Larsen, 71, died June 20, 1991, at his home in Orem.

He was born July 12, 1919, in Spanish Fork, to Leonard C. and Catherine J. Evans Larsen. He married Juanita Chapman, June 17, 1939, in Price. They were later divorced.

He was a member of The Church of Jesus Christ of Latter-day Saints, and had held many positions.

He worked most of his life at Geneva Steel, from where he later retired. There he was elected president of the Utah Chapter of American Society of Safety Engineers.

He enjoyed hunting and all kinds of sports. He was involved in organizing Little League baseball in Lindon.

He is survived by three sons and two daughters, Linda Gillman Hommond, Trudy Lundgren, both of Lindon; Kent Larsen, Pleasant Grove; Richard Larsen, Cedar City; Dean Larsen, St. George; 15 grandchildren, one great-granddaughter; two sisters and two brothers, Mrs. Ralph (Vera) Roseberry, Rowland Heights, Calif.; Mrs. Kenneth (LaRee) Alexander, Ogden; Donald E. Larsen, Orem; Hayden E. Larsen, Hunter. He was preceded in death by one brother, L. Earl Larsen.

Graveside services will be Saturday, 2 p.m. in the Spanish Fork City Cemetery, under the direction of Olpin Mortuary, Pleasant Grove.

Margaret Peterson

Margaret Elanor St. Peter Peterson, 52, of Spanish Fork, died June 25, 1991 in the Hales Rest Home in Spanish Fork.

She was born Feb. 6, 1939 in Ft. Benton, Mont., the daughter of Homer Henry St. Peter and Katherine Elna Rasmussen St. Peter. She married Neal D. Peterson on June 19, 1957 in Ft. Benton, Mont. Their marriage was solemnized in the Cardston, Canada LDS Temple. They were later divorced.

She was educated in Ft. Benton, Montana Schools. She was a active member of The Church of Jesus Christ of Latter-day Saints, and held many positions. She also served as a temple ordinance worker.

Survivors include three sons and one daughter, Nealetha Ann Peterson of Salt Lake City; Randall John Peterson, Rick Roland Peterson, Robin Neal Peterson, all of Spanish Fork; 16 grandchildren.

Funeral services will be Thursday at 2 p.m. in the Walker Mortuary Chapel, 187 S. Main, Spanish Fork. Friends may call at the mortuary on Thursday one hour prior to the services. Burial will be in the



Gloria Chase

Gloria Grant Chase, 55, of Orem, died June 25, 1991, at her home in Orem after a long illness.

She was born April 24, 1936, a daughter of Jay Smith and Nina Giles Grant in Los Angeles. She married Kenneth Wayne Chase Aug. 28, 1959, in the Los Angeles LDS Temple.

She grew up in Southern California, moving to Utah in 1968.

She was an active member of The Church of Jesus Christ of Latter-day Saints. She was a member of the Utah County Midwives Association for 10 years. She was also a member of the board of directors of the Utah School of Midwifery. She's was an active advocate of home birth and delivered many babies.

Survivors include her husband of Orem, seven daughters and two sons, Mrs. Dennis (Sheri) Spencer of Boise, Idaho; Mrs. Scott (Kim) Booth of Independence, Mo.; Mrs. Blaine (Wendy) Hunter of Orem; Mrs. Douglas (Julie) Nordin of Lindon; Mrs. Kevin (Kenalyn) Gray of Las Vegas, Nev.; Robin Chase, serving in the California Oakland LDS Mission; Ken Chase, serving in the Helsinki Finland Mission; April Chase, Brent Chase, both of Orem; 14 grandchildren; one brother, Richard G. Grant of San Jose, Calif.; two sisters, Lanel G. Peck of Murray; Sharleen G. Hoskins of Tucson, Ariz.

Funeral services will be Friday, 11 a.m. at the Canyon View 3rd Ward LDS Chapel, 800 E. 1200 N., in Orem. Friends may call Thursday 7-9 p.m. at the Sundberg-Olpin Mortuary, 495 S. State in Orem and also Friday from 9:45 to 10:45 a.m. at the ward chapel. Interment will be in the Orem City Cemetery.



Maurice Briggs

Maurice Rhodes Briggs, 72, of Vernal, died June 23, 1991, of cancer.

He was born Oct. 18, 1918, in Heber City, to Archie and Gladys Lindsay Duke Briggs. He married Rhoda Snyder. She died in 1966. He married Lila Holmes, May 28, 1967, in Reno, Nev.

He was a member of The Church of Jesus Christ of Latter-day Saints.

He enjoyed hunting, fishing, camping and snowmobiling.

He worked for the Utah Road Department for 18 years.

He was raised by Albert and Hazel Giles, his uncle and aunt.

He is survived by his wife; daughters and son, Mrs. Wally (Linda) Brereton, Orem; Mrs. Charles (Larna) McPhie, Brent M. Briggs, both of Heber City; step-daughters and step-sons, Mrs. Barb



Hatch su

WASHINGTON (AP) — Utah Sen. Orrin Hatch may have violated federal firearms law for years by displaying a captured Soviet AK-47 on his office wall.

Ironically, the Republican's mis-cue came to light this week just as he was planning to lead the fight against gun control provisions in a Senate crime bill before the Senate.

The development was reported in a copyright Deseret News story Tuesday.

Hatch said Monday that his involvement with the assault rifle was innocent enough, no matter how legal it may or may not have been.

He explained that the weapon was captured from the Soviets by freedom fighters in Afghanistan years ago.

Budget rai

SALT LAKE CITY (AP) — Utah's colleges and universities have raided travel, equipment and miscellaneous budgets to give faculty and staff higher pay raises than those appropriated by the Legislature.

Faculty salary increases in the 1991-92 budget will range from a low of 3.36 percent at Utah Valley Community College to a high of 5.81 percent at Southern Utah University.

The statewide salary average at the nine institutions is 4.45 percent for faculty and 4.24 percent for staff, according to a report prepared for the state Board of Re-

Springville

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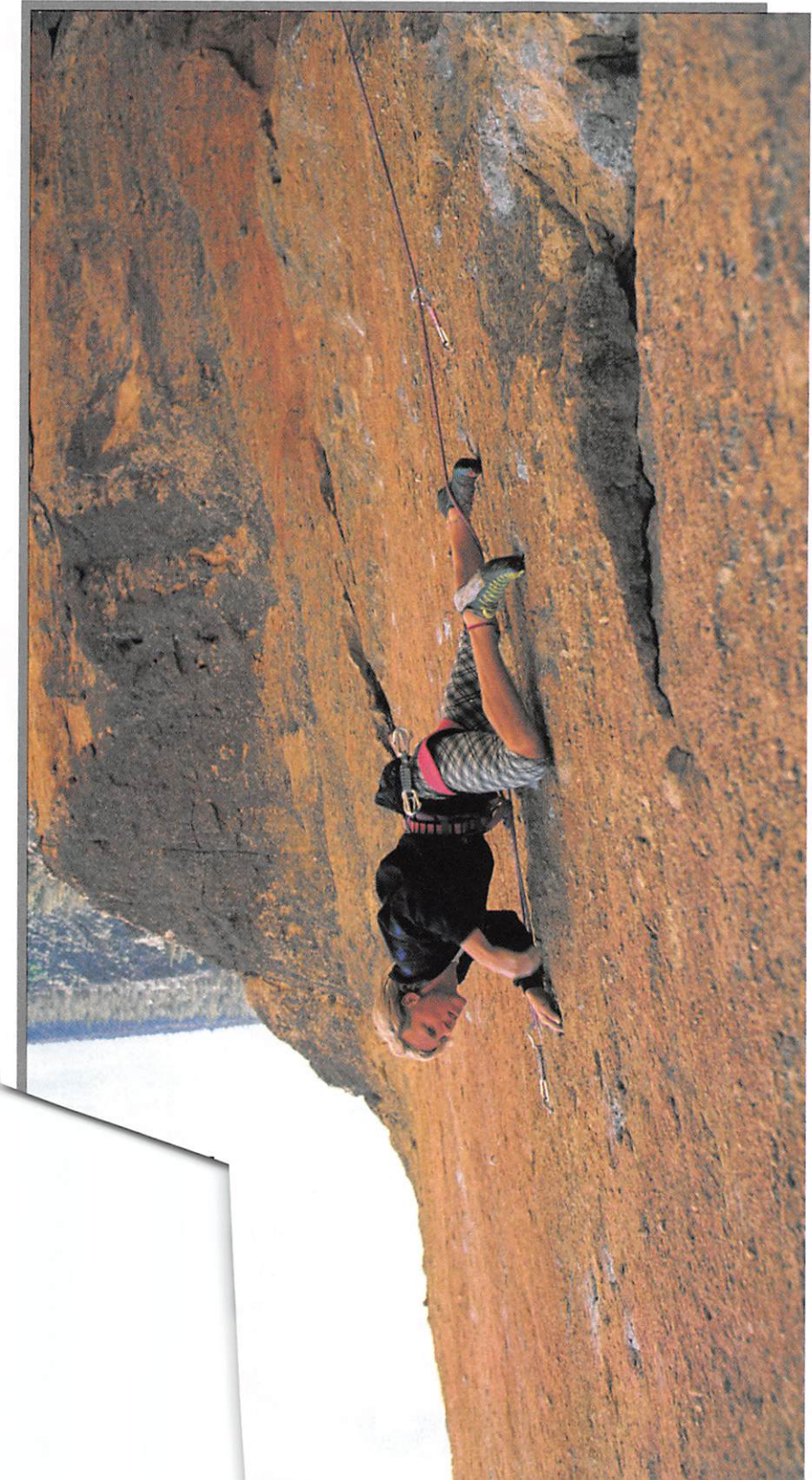
SPRINGVILLE — Calling it one of the toughest they had ever worked with, the city council approved a new budget that will see an increase in water rates.

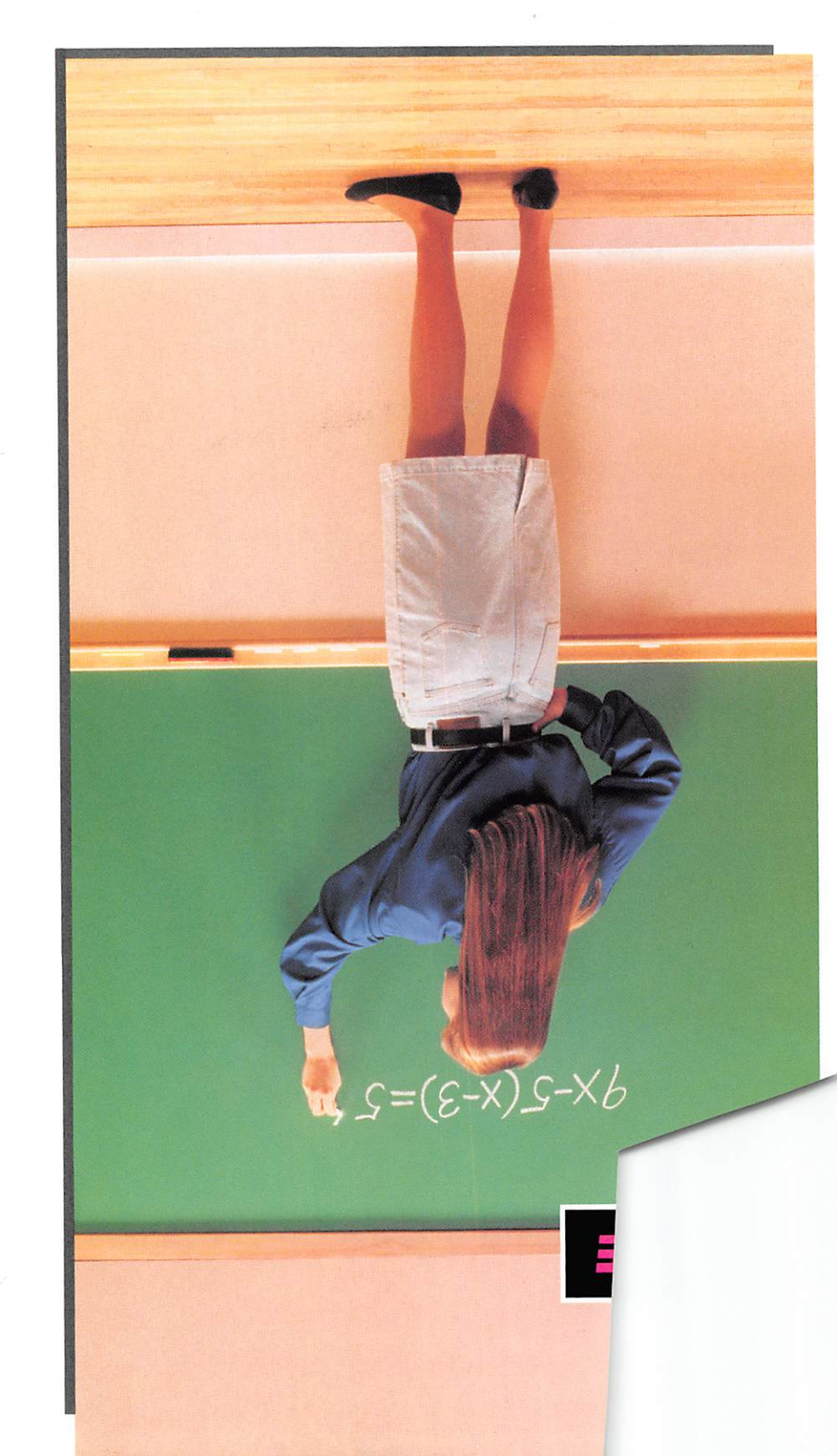
Mayor DeLora Bertleson said this budget will see a change in the financial philosophy of the city to a "pay as you go system" and a tightening of spending reins.

Capital projects from past years have left city spending tight including last years buy-in costs to the new landfill district. That one area still has council members concerned as the amount of solid

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By JOSEPHINE ZIMMERMAN





A woman with long brown hair, wearing a blue long-sleeved shirt and white pants, is standing upside down on a wooden floor. She is pointing her right index finger at a green chalkboard. The chalkboard has the equation $9x-5(x-3)=5$ written on it in white chalk. The background is a plain, light-colored wall.

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PROVO CANYON/SUNDANCE RESORT



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Majestic Provo Canyon, only 40 minutes south of Park City along U.S. 40 and S.R. 189, is home to Robert Redford's scenic Sundance Resort. A small ski resort in winter, Sundance is year-round headquarters for the Sundance Institute, a center for promising performing artists and

home of an annual film festival. Also located here is the Institute for Resources Management, an organization dedicated to preserving the environment. Further south along the canyon is the Alpine Loop scenic drive, which includes Bridal Veil Falls and Timpanogos Cave National Monument.

treasure its quiet and easygoing atmosphere, but for the adventurous, there's plenty happening here.

As you drive along 16-mile Oak Creek Canyon, the dramatic rock formations look familiar, like something out of an old Randolph Scott western. In fact, the area around Sedona inspired Zane Grey to write *The Call of the Canyon* and *Wild Horse Mesa*, and it has been used as a backdrop for westerns since the twenties.

Cowboy country this may be, but the

steep-walled canyons and pine forests have been home to a number of Indian tribes for centuries: The Sinagua, the Hopi, the Apache and the Yavapai have all left behind traces of their cultures. Ancient Indian legend says that the Grandmother Spirit still lives in Sedona, welcoming her family home. Seeing the pink-tinged cliffs in the glow of a setting sun, it's easy to believe in the many mystical tales—ancient and modern—that designate certain spots (there are four “electromagnetic energy vortexes” in Sedona) as sources of psychic power.

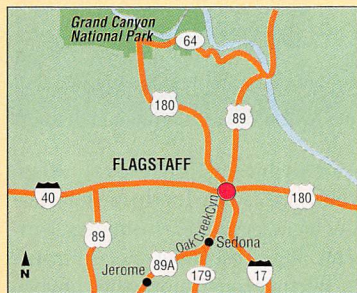
WHAT TO DO

Well worth a stop at the start of your journey, the Museum of Northern Arizona (602-774-5211) in Flagstaff offers a good introduction to the geology and different ancient Indian cultures of the area.

Oak Creek Canyon's scenic drive starts off with a view of the valley from a lookout point, then descends nearly 2,000 feet to the creek. Oak Creek has a number of good fishing areas (it's stocked annually with rainbow and German brown trout); one place to stop might be Slide Rock State Park.

For a guided tour of the area, there

GETTING THERE



Start out in Flagstaff; follow U.S. 89A south through Oak Creek Canyon and on to Sedona.